

RESOLUTION NO. 10

SERIES 2015

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GUNNISON,
COLORADO, RECOGNIZING CAROLYN RIGGS FOR HER SERVICE AND
CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE CITY OF GUNNISON.**

WHEREAS, in May, 2013, Western State College graduate Carolyn Riggs, after opening and operating a popular local restaurant, and serving on the City's Planning & Zoning Commission, ramped up her municipal government service and was elected by her fellow citizens to be a City Councilor; and

WHEREAS, during her term on City Council, Carolyn represented the community's business owners, employees and entrepreneurs, Western State Colorado University students, young families and the arts community; and

WHEREAS, while serving on City Council, Carolyn worked to improve the community of Gunnison with such policies, projects, and programs including but not limited to: the receipt of a DOLA Grant for the planning and construction of the new Police/Dispatch Center; expanding the valley-wide ground transportation service; implementing the City Investment Policy and Reserve Fund Balance Policy; implementing the farm incubator project on the VanTuyl Ranch property; providing comment to the US Fish & Wildlife Service on the listing of the Gunnison Sage Grouse; hosting the USA Pro Cycling Challenge Race; initiating the updates of the City's Comprehensive Plan and Parks & Recreation Master Plan; sending the question of allowing marijuana facilities in the City to the voters and then initiating the development of marijuana facility rules and regulations; the re-enactment of the Land Development Code; update of the City Animal Code; assisting and supporting a wide variety of community non-profits and programs including the upgrades to the Gunnison White Water Park; continued improvements to valuable City infrastructure; and approved the improvements and upgrades to City Hall; and

WHEREAS, during her term on City Council, Carolyn provided valuable insight and perspective on the issues being evaluated by the Council, and encouraged communication between the City and the Western State Colorado University community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF GUNNISON, COLORADO, THAT:**

Carolyn Riggs is recognized for her service as a City of Gunnison Councilor from May 20, 2013, through May 18, 2015, and as being a dedicated and enthusiastic member of the Gunnison Community.

Further, Carolyn is wished continued success and happiness in her future endeavors by the City Council, City employees and all of the citizens of the City of Gunnison.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED at the Reorganization Meeting of the City Council of the City of Gunnison, Colorado, held this 18th day of May, 2015.

City of Gunnison Mayor

City Clerk Gail A. Davidson